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For: **SYSTEM FOR LUBRICATING A CLOSING MECHANISM, A CLOSING  
BAR AND CLOSING HOOK**

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**AMENDMENT "A"**

Sir,

In response to the Official Action mailed December 24, 2008, Applicants respond  
as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2;

Claims begin on page 3; and

Remarks begin on page 6.